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GOLD MINE, TUNG OIL AREAS INCREASE OUTPUT;
NEW COAL DEPOSIT DISCOVERED IN ANHWEI

GOLD OUTPUT INCREASES IN P'ING-YUAN -- Ta Kung Pao, 7 Jun 49

Ch'eng-te, 6 June 1949 -- The P'ing-yuan Mining Bureau in Jehol Province reports a noticeable increase in gold output from its two mines. Monthly output, in the past, has been 20 ~ 27 ounces. Planned output for April was 54 ounces. Actual production reached 72 ounces, surpassing the planned quota by one-third. The quota for May was 60 ounces, but actual production was 120 ounces. The miners' goal for June is 180 ounces.

CHINA'S TUNG OIL PRODUCTION -- Ta Kung Pao, 16 Jun 49

Tung trees are now found in 13 provinces, the chief producers being Szechwan, Hunan, Kwangsi, Hupeh, and Chekiang. Szechwan's output is the finest in quality and also accounted for one-third of the nation's total in the prewar period.

Annual average production by provinces for the two periods 1933 through 1937 and 1938 through 1946, and estimated production for 1947 through 1952 is listed below (in thousands of hectoliters):

	<u>1933 - 1937</u>	<u>1938 - 1946</u>	<u>1947 - 1952</u> (est.)
Szechwan	450	450	600
Hunan	350	350	500
Hupeh	160	120	120
Kwangsi	150	300	300
Chekiang	100	100	100
Kweichow	50	80	80
Shensi	30	30	30
Anhui	24	13	24
Kiangsi	15	10	15
Honan	12	8	12
Fukien	10	9	10
Others	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>
Total	1,360	1,470	1,800

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NEW DEPOSIT LARGER THAN K'AI-LUAN -- Ta Kung Pao, 17 Jun 49

Shang-hai, 16 June 1949 -- A new coal deposit with an estimated reserve of 60 million tons was discovered in the vicinity of the Huai-nan Coal Field in central Anhwei Province. This is even larger than the deposits at K'ai-luan (Kailan). This deposit will be called "K'ai-luan of East China." Mining operations are to be started soon.

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